

National Institute of Open Schooling
Secondary
Lesson 21 – Preparation for the Vocational role
Worksheet-21

1. “The term occupational choice and vocational choice has been replaced by career choice”. Discuss the given statement.
2. Skill training is an important aspect of the Workforce. Explain how our career choices are influenced by our early educational and skill training choices?\
3. Make a list of national or state run institutions that provide special training such as-
 - a) Polytechnique
 - b) Correspondence Institution
 - c) Professional Institute
 - d) Craft training School
 - e) Commercial Institution
 - f) Special Institution
4. Identify and prepare a list of at least five skill training and five educational institutions in your city and write about the training and courses available in these institutions.
5. We often use the words vocation and career interchangeably, but they are different in meaning. Discuss the difference between career and vocation with examples.
6. You might have come across various advertisements regarding jobs in newspapers. Select any six ads and prepare the requirements (e.g. minimum age, qualification, experience etc) for each separately. In your opinion, which ad has given information regarding the vacancy in the most appropriate way? Give suitable reasons for your answer.
7. Manish is currently in 10th class and he is supposed to choose his stream for further education. Based on the given situation answer the following questions;
 - a) Explain the importance of career planning to Manish.
 - b) Explain how career planning can help a student in the early stages.
8. Comment on the given statement:

“Before making a vocational choice one should know the correlation between ability and interest, along with personality characteristics”.
9. Somani is a 19 year old girl. She is a commerce student and passed her class 12th exams. She is confused about her career. How can you help her in making a good career choice? Discuss.
10. Identify your interests and find the vocational choices related to your interests. Select at least two vocational choices of yours and formulate an action plan to build a career in these two vocational choices.